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James Warr
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Re: File Closure for Small Mining Project. James Warr, Yankee Mine, S/049/022, Utah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Warr:

On August 9, 2000, the Division performed a site inspection (memo attached) of the Yankee Mine, located on private lands in the SE1/4 NW1/4 of Section 20, T3S, R3E, SLBM, Utah County, Utah. This inspection was performed in response to your request received in 1998 that we close this file. Several attempts have been made to inspect the site while in the vicinity, but because of the remote location and difficulty in accessing this site, we were unable to perform this inspection until this time.

The area described in the notice was examined. Due to the extensive and historic mining disturbances in this area it was difficult to identify additional disturbances specifically associated with your notice. In addition, some disturbances from rock hounding activities were also present within your project area. Given the extensive mining disturbances in the area, and lack of topsoil in your project area, additional reclamation work is not warranted.

The Division will hereby close this small mine notice and retire this file. This file closure will release you from further reclamation responsibilities associated with your small mine notice filed with the Division. If you wish to conduct any future mining related activity in this area, you will need to submit a new notice to the appropriate agency, pay the Division permit fee, and receive written approval, prior to creating any disturbance.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this action, please contact me at (801) 538-5267. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Anthony A. Gallegos
Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Attachment: inspection memo
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